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## M'CLELLAN IS MAYOR

Son of "Little Mac" Defeats Low for Ruler of Greater New York.

BUT ONE BURGESS IS FOR LOW

And That by a Plurality of Only 200—Every Where

Massachusetts Remains in the Republican Column with Ohio and Iowa—Hanna's Sure Thing.

New York, Nov. 4.—At 8:15 p. m. Mayor Low entered his office and to the newspapermen said that he was about to send the following telegram to Colonel McClellan: "I congratulate you on your election. If I can be of service to you, pray command me." The mayor then said: "I think that the telegram sums up all that I have to say tonight."

New York, Nov. 4.—After a remarkable campaign in which there was united against him nearly all of the newspapers and practically every minister of religion in the city, George B. McClellan, son of the civil war general, has been elected third mayor of the Greater New York, over Seth Low, Fusionist, the present mayor, by a plurality of about 70,000.



Edward M. Grout was elected comptroller, and Charles V. Fornes president of the board of aldermen. These two men were originally on the Fusion ticket, and were endorsed by Tammany, whereupon the Fusionists took their names from the Low ballots and nominated other candidates.

A surprise was the low vote for William S. Devery, ex-chief of police, who ran on an independent ticket which was given practically no support. This result shows a tremendous change of public sentiment since Mayor Low's election two years ago, when he won by 31,632. At that time he carried all the boroughs but Queens, his plurality in Manhattan and the Bronx being 5,963; Brooklyn, 25,767, and in Richmond, 763. In Queens Shepard, Dem., had a plurality of 561.

Low Got but One Borough. This time McClellan carried Manhattan and the Bronx by about 58,000, a gain of 63,000; Brooklyn by about 6,000, a gain of 31,000, and Queens by about 5,000, a gain of more than 4,000. This makes a total net gain for McClellan of about 100,000, as compared with Shepard's vote of two years ago. Low carried only one borough—Richmond—by about 300 votes.

New York, Nov. 4.—McClellan's plurality in the city of New York is 61,414.

Republicans Have Seven More Members—How the Mayors Fared.

Returns from all assembly districts of the state gave the Republicans a net gain of seven in the assembly, with two districts in doubt, thereby increasing the Republican majority in the state assembly. Harvey Watterson, son of Colonel Henry Watterson, of Louisville, was defeated by a very close vote in a strongly Republican district in Manhattan.

Returns from the state indicate the election of Republican mayors in Syracuse, Rome, Elmira, Plattsburgh, Rochester, Albany, Rensselaer, Watertown and Oneida. In Oswego, Utica, Schenectady, Troy and Amsterdam Democratic mayors were elected.

The latest returns indicate that the canal proposition to widen and deepen the state canals to admit of the passage of 1,000-ton barges, has been carried by a majority of about 175,000. The proposition carries with it an appropriation of \$101,000,000.

The vote of Brooklyn for mayor, with four election districts missing, gives McClellan, 101,439; Low, 90,728.

IN THE WESTERN STATES

Dick's Claim in Ohio—Cummings Elected in Iowa—St. Pauls and Colorado.

Columbus, O., Nov. 4.—The Democratic state committee is giving out no statements. The Republican state committee announced that the plurality for Herrick over Johnson for gov-

ernor would exceed any plurality ever given a governor in Ohio and that the Republican majority on joint ballot in the legislature for the re-election of Senator Hanna would be over 100.

Before retiring Chairman Dick sent the following telegram to Senator Hanna at Cleveland: "Herrick's plurality will reach 125,000. Republicans elect twenty-nine senators; Democrats elect four. Republicans elect eighty-six members of the house and the Democrats twelve. Twelve districts are not yet reported. This insures a Republican membership of 115 and a Republican majority on joint ballot of eighty-seven, giving you the largest vote for United States senator ever recorded in the general assembly of Ohio, and marking the most complete political triumph in the history of the state."

Denver, Nov. 4.—With nearly full returns from the election in this city and scattering returns from various parts of the state there seems little doubt of the election of John Campbell, Rep., for member of the supreme court. No other office was filled by this year's election. Chairman Miller Smith, of the Democratic state central committee, says: "Returns so far received show that Wilson, Dem., has carried this city by about 5,500 plurality, but that the Republicans have made gains in the state outside of Denver, and that Campbell is elected by a small plurality." The News (Democratic) concedes the election of Campbell. The Republican state central committee claims Campbell's election by 5,000 to 7,000 plurality over Wilson.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 4.—Based on returns from 115 voting precincts out of 120 of Lancaster county (Lincoln) and Douglas county (Omaha) the Republican state central committee claims the election of the entire Republican ticket by not less than 10,000 plurality. This claim is considered conservative, and newspaper returns tend to confirm it. The vote for the 115 precincts gave Barnes, Rep., 9,642; Sullivan, Fusion, 8,192. The same precincts two years ago gave the Republican candidate 9,675, with the Fusion 8,107, a change so slight that it will require a Fusion landslide from an unexpected quarter to overcome the Republican plurality of 12,000 of two years ago.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 4.—Returns received up to this writing indicate the re-election of Governor Cummins by a plurality of at least 50,000, and his associates on the Republican ticket by substantially the same pluralities. At Democratic headquarters so large a plurality is not admitted. The legislative returns, although not complete, indicate material Democratic gains over two years ago, when the house contained eighty-two Republicans and eighteen Democrats and the senate forty Republicans and ten Democrats; but the Republicans have a good working majority. The Republican managers figure a plurality of 60,000.

Chairman Jackson, of the Democratic committee, said: "I still hold that Cummins' plurality will not be over 30,000."

Including the Balance of the Republican Ticket—Other Eastern States.

Boston, Nov. 4.—Although somewhat pushed by the exertions of their opponents the Republicans in the state election re-elected Governor John L. Bates by practically the same plurality as last year. The rest of the ticket was also elected and the party probably will have the usual proportion of two to one in the legislature of 1905.

The early returns showed that Governor Bates had made slight gains in the small towns and cities, but this was overcome by the Democrats in this city who succeeded in increasing Colonel Gaston's plurality of 13,000 last year to nearly 20,000 this year. In addition to electing their state ticket and holding the legislature, the Republicans were also successful in retaining control of the governor's council which will be composed of five Republicans and one Democrat.

With returns complete from every town and city in the state the total vote for governor is: Bates, Rep., 160,383; Gaston, Dem., 163,544. A plurality for Bates of nearly 30,000. The Socialist party, which had three members of the legislature last year, will be represented by only one, a member from Brocton. The total vote of the city for governor was Gaston, Dem., 47,323; Bates, Rep., 28,594. Last year the city gave Gaston 45,968, and Bates 32,127.

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—Figures from the sixty-seven counties of the state indicate a plurality for Mathews, Rep., for state treasurer of 211,784. Snyder, for auditor general, and Morrison and Henderson, for judges of the supreme court, were given approximately the same pluralities. Snyder, who began the object of criticism because as a state senator he voted for what is popularly known as the press muzzle law, was apparently cut very little. The returns indicate Republican gains in forty-nine counties and Democratic gains in the remaining eighteen counties. It is apparent from the nature of the estimates received during the night that the official count will increase the Republican plurality to such an extent that it may exceed 225,000.

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 4.—The Republicans in New Jersey elected four of the six state senators and enough of the assembly to claim both houses. The entire Democratic assembly ticket was elected in Union county, which is a defeat for United States Senator Keen. The next senate will stand fourteen Republicans and seven Democrats. In the house at least thirty-six

of the sixty members will be Republicans.

Providence, R. I., Nov. 4.—The returns indicate the re-election of Governor Garvin, Dem., by a greatly reduced plurality. The vote is very close, however, and the result probably will be in doubt until the last district is heard from. The Republican state central committee claims that later returns will overcome Garvin's lead.

MARYLAND AND KENTUCKY

Slow Returns, but Democratic Success Indicated in Both States.

Baltimore, Nov. 4.—At this writing only eighty-five of the 308 voting precincts of Baltimore city have been reported to the election supervisor's office. These, if the ratio of Democratic gains are maintained, indicate that Edwin Warfield, the Democratic nominee for governor, has carried the city by 7,000 or 8,000 plurality. Returns from the counties are meager. Indications point to the election of Edwin Warfield, Dem., as governor over Stevenson A. Williams, Rep., and that the legislature which will elect a United States senator will also be Democratic.

Louisville, Nov. 4.—With the close of an election characterized by an un-

usually heavy vote, numerous disorders, and evidences of many gross irregularities the re-election of Governor Beckham, the Democratic candidate, over Colonel Morris B. Belknap, Rep., by a majority of fully 15,000 seems assured. The Republicans concede the election of Governor Beckham. The day in Louisville was an exciting one and the election was bitterly fought, and the allegations of fraud and irregularities, including intimidation of negro voters. These conditions led to many fights, the most serious of which occurred between Tom Kiley, a Democratic election officer, and Jacob Rieger, a Republican officer. The men used pistols and Kiley was seriously wounded.

Of the 119 counties in the state returns have been received from thirty-eight. These give Beckham 54,054 and Belknap 39,770. Over forty of the counties are remote, some of them being nearly two days' journey from telephone or telegraph wires. Louisville and Jefferson county gave Beckham 5,200 majority over Belknap in round numbers. Yerkes, Rep., carried Louisville and Jefferson county at the last gubernatorial election by 5,100.

This gain of 10,000 votes, added to Beckham's majority of 2,500 at the last election insures him a majority of 13,500 if all the other counties in the state duplicate their vote at the last gubernatorial election. Beckham, however, has made a total gain of nearly 2,000 in his total vote from the twenty odd counties heard from.

Schmitt Wins at San Francisco. San Francisco, Nov. 4.—The city election brought out a heavy vote. The incomplete returns indicate that Eugene T. Schmitt, the Union-Labor party candidate, has been re-elected mayor with Charles Crocker, Republican, a fairly close second.

Virginia Is All One Way. Richmond, Va., Nov. 4.—The election in Virginia, which was for members of the assembly, have resulted in a Democratic sweep of the state.

Five Men Go Down; One Dead. Houston, Tex., Nov. 4.—A portion of a new bridge being built across the Brazos river near Chapel Hill by the Houston and Texas Central collapsed. The falling structure carried five men with it. Frank Wagner was buried in the river under a large amount of timber. E. Corcoran received internal injuries and may die.

Will Strike on Nov. 9. Indianapolis, Nov. 4.—According to a decision arrived at by President John Mitchell, Vice President Thomas Lewis and Secretary William B. Wilson, of the United Mine Workers, the strike of the coal miners in district 21, embracing Colorado, New Mexico, Wyoming and Utah, will be called on Nov. 9.

Election Discussion in Kentucky. Danville, Ky., Nov. 4.—While in an election discussion William Middleton, aged 20, struck Fountain H. Hasty with the butt of a gun, inflicting a terrible wound and crushing his skull. Hasty will die.

Date of the Republican Caucus. Washington, Nov. 4.—The Republican caucus for the nomination of speaker and other officers of the house of representatives for the Fifty-eighth congress will be held Saturday afternoon, Nov. 7.

Statenman Talks to Regulator. Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 4.—J. A. T. Hull lost his vote in the second precinct of the first ward. Hull was one of the first arrivals at the polls and was challenged because he failed to register.

REDSKIN AMBUSH

Laid for a Sheriff and His Posse Results in a Battle of an Hour.

SHERIFF IS ONE OF THE KILLED

Second Battle Reported with Heavy Loss by the Indians—Five Hundred Men in Chase.

Denver, Colo., Nov. 3.—Five hundred men, including sheriffs' posses augmented by volunteers from the ranches adjacent, are scouring the country in the vicinity of Lightning Creek, in eastern Wyoming, in search of the band of Indians which Saturday afternoon fought a battle with Sheriff Miller's posse, killing the sheriff and one deputy named Fossberg. The latest advice is to the effect that a second battle has been fought and ten Indians killed and eleven others captured, but this has not as yet been verified. News from the scene of the trouble, which is twenty-five miles from telegraphic communication, is very meager.

Laid in Ambush for the Sheriff. The Indians, seventy-five in number, said to be under the leadership of Charlie Carries Elk, are supposed to be Sioux from the Pine Ridge and Rosebud agencies in South Dakota. They have been hunting in the Converse country, Wyo., in violation of the game laws of the state. Sheriff Miller with a posse went to the scene of their depredations last Saturday, and for the purpose of arresting the Indians. The Indians had received warning of the coming of the whites, and prepared an ambush for them. The posse would have been entirely wiped out but for the fact they were proceeding cautiously and were in a measure prepared for some trick on the part of the Indians.

Fight Lasted for an Hour. At the first volley from the Indians Sheriff Miller and his deputies hastily ran to cover, and then ensued a genuine Indian fight. The whites found refuge behind trees and boulders. It is thought that at least six Indians were killed and several others wounded, among the latter being Eagle Feather, a sub-chief. The battle lasted almost an hour, when the Indians began to make their escape by ones and twos on horseback. They carried their dead and wounded with them, and are now believed to be well on their way to the Bad Lands in Nebraska.

DEMAND MADE ON WASHINGTON That the Indians Must Be Punished—Their Excuse for Killing Game.

The officers did not attempt to follow, but sent a courier to Lusk, the nearest telegraph office, with a message to Governor Chatterton apprising him of what had occurred. The news of the battle spread rapidly, and every ranchman for miles around armed himself and joined one of the numerous posses hastily organized to punish the Indians. The governor wired the interior department at Washington that the Indians must be immediately arrested. For the past two weeks the band of Indians had been in northeastern Wyoming slaughtering game in violation of the laws. In addition the settlers have been complaining bitterly that the Indians have been killing and stealing their cattle.

Settlers warned the leaders of the band to leave the country, but the redskins only laughed at them. They alleged that the government had so reduced the amount of the rations that they were forced to kill game to keep from starving. Charlie Carries Elk openly declared that if he and his followers were driven too far they would fight.

When Sheriff Miller, of Weston county, was notified of the refusal of the Indians to get out of the state, and the threats made by them, he organized a small posse, including R. D. Hackney, D. O. Johnson, Fred Howell, Lieutenant B. F. Hilton and James Davis, and started for Beaver Creek, along which the redskins were camped. On Friday the Indian camp was reached. It was deserted by all except the squaws, children and a few old men, who were busy skinning wild animals and preparing the meat for winter use.

The entire camp was placed under arrest and sent to New Castle in charge of Lieutenant Hilton. The posse started on a search for the braves. They were located Saturday and during the afternoon Sheriff Miller and his deputies started to close in on them. When the whites got within rifle range of the Indian camp they were suddenly fired upon and the battle followed.

The "Infuriated" Mob Again. Shreveport, La., Nov. 3.—Joseph Craddock, negro, was lynched by an infuriated mob composed chiefly of blacks, at Taylortown in Bossier parish, about seventeen miles from Shreveport. He had attacked and killed or fatally wounded three other negroes, and as no motive is apparent it would seem that he was insane.

Terrible Work of a Lunatic. Pottsville, Pa., Nov. 3.—Benjamin Weissinger shot and killed his brother, Frederick and Louis, at the farm of the father, L. W. Weissinger. He then locked a muzzle in the barn and defecated, but was finally captured. He is doubtless mad.

President Goes Home to Vote. Washington, Nov. 3.—President Roosevelt has left here for Oyster Bay, where he will cast his vote today.

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Thunders of applause followed Mme. Patti's rendering of the aria from "The Rose of Summer" and "Home, Sweet Home," after which in response to repeated recalls she gave "The Last Farewell," a song written especially for this tour.

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## GAS BELT'S NEEDS

Plenty of Coal and Then Factories That Do Not Depend on Fuel.

GIRL DIDN'T KNOW HER MIND

Until It Was Too Late, Her Intended Husband Accepting but One Chance—State Notes.

Muncie, Ind., Nov. 3.—To insure the continued prosperity of the Indiana gas belt, two things are necessary, according to the business men of this locality. One of these is some method of bringing soft coal into the belt at a cheap rate and in as great quantities as may be needed, and the other is the location of factories whose existence is not dependent especially upon the fuel supply. In every town of the gas belt the business men and manufacturers are bending themselves to the task of accomplishing these two things. If the fuel question were satisfactorily settled, there would be no doubt of increasing prosperity, the manufacturers say.

Too Late to Buy That Road. Muncie manufacturers are holding conferences almost daily to discuss methods of relieving the coal famine which threatens them. A scheme much discussed is the formation of a company of Indiana manufacturers and business men to purchase the old Midland railroad, or Central Indiana, as it is now called, which is owned jointly by the Big Four and Pennsylvania roads. There was a time when the road could have been purchased for a song, but it is doubtful if its present owners would be willing to part with it.

Central Indiana Road Would Do. If the road could be bought, the plan would be to convert it into a coal-carrying road almost exclusively at the beginning, though afterward it might be enlarged into both a general freight and passenger road. The Central Indiana, whose eastern terminus is Muncie, penetrates the Indiana coal fields, and if the roads were properly equipped with cars and engines, could easily solve the fuel problem in the gas belt.

Fuel Supply Is Increased. The situation here was partly relieved last week by the arrival of several carloads of coal for the iron mills. It is said assurances have been given that there will be more coal in the city this week. Some of the mills are still using natural gas, and as long as there is plenty of this fuel—which will probably be until the weather becomes extremely cold—there will be no danger of their closing.

HER SECOND THOUGHT TOO LATE

Girl Who Jilted a Man at the Altar Rues Her Action, but Is Still Unmarried.

Nashville, Ind., Nov. 3.—Charles Snyder, a young farmer east of here, has been courted by Miss Ethel Robinson for several months. A few weeks ago Snyder proposed and was accepted and the wedding day was fixed. Snyder procured the license and in company with a few of his friends drove to the Robinson home, four miles northeast of here.

The minister was present to perform the ceremony and when, a few minutes before the hour for the ceremony, the young woman refused to become the wife of Snyder, and declared she would not at that time "marry the best man on earth." Snyder told his friends, returned to Nashville. A messenger was sent after him to inform him that the bride-elect had changed her mind and that her parents would send a carriage to Nashville next day for him to return and be married. The carriage came after Snyder, but he had gone to Kansas.

One Do Jump Contemplating Now. Vincennes, Ind., Nov. 3.—Frank Hooper, of Richmond, failing to give bond under peace surety proceedings, has been committed to jail. It is alleged that he piled his household goods in the street, saturated them with coal oil and applied a match, and that when W. B. Fox, his father-in-law, and Chas. Fox, a brother-in-law, attempted to interfere, he pursued them with a revolver, threatening their lives.

Thuggery by a Revolver. Muncie, Ind., Nov. 3.—Mrs. Alfred Maloney was knocked down and perhaps seriously injured internally by a Halloween reveler. She was standing on one of the principal business streets watching the parade of masks when she was struck violently on the breast by an unknown man who was masked and escaped in the crowd.

Workmen Find a Curious Brick. Shelbyville, Ind., Nov. 3.—A number of workmen, while engaged in tearing down one of the brick walls at the S. B. Norris store, found a brick with the word "Christ" on it. How it came to have this name on it is a question that is arousing quite a little curiosity.

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